**Specification and Criteria – Teacher of History**

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| Category | Essential | Desirable |
| Application | * Covering letter highlighting your reasons for wanting to teach History at Bishop Barrington School and your philosophy of education |  |
| Qualifications | * Qualified teacher status * Recognised degree in History | * Good knowledge of ICT and the use of interactive software |
| Experience | * A completed period of classroom practise with 11-16 year old students. | * Experience teaching AQA GCSE History course |
| Professional Development | * A commitment to ongoing professional development |  |
| Skills | * Excellent classroom management * Ability to work independently and as part of a team * Excellent communication and              interpersonal skills |  |
| Special Knowledge | * A detailed knowledge of the KS3 History curriculum * Concise subject knowledge |  |
| Personal Attributes | * Enthusiasm and love of subject * Caring attitude to students | * Flexibility and adaptability in order to be able to mix and work with a wide range of people |